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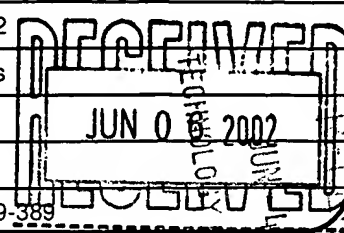
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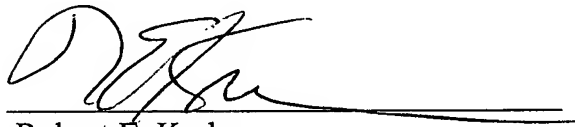
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We (I) believe that we are (I am) the original, first, and joint (sole) inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled "FLAT THERMIONIC EMISSION SCREEN AND WITH INTEGRATED ANODE CONTROL DEVICE"

the specification of which

☒ is attached hereto.

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